

## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AUSTIN TEXAS INTER-OFFICE

**TO:** WIC Regional Directors

WIC Local Agency Directors

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**Bureau of Nutrition Services** 

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**SUBJECT:** Reformulation / New Can Size – Enfamil EnfaCare LIPIL

Mead Johnson has reformulated Enfamil EnfaCare, a formula for premature infants. It is now called Enfamil EnfaCare LIPIL. This memo is to inform you that the WIN system formula codes and wording for Enfamil EnfaCare description have changed to read EnfaCare or EnfaCare LIPIL on the TX WIN formula codes list.

EnfaCare LIPIL has long-chain polyunsaturated fatty acids (LCPUFA's) docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) and arachidonic acid (ARA) added. These LCPUFA's occur naturally in breast milk and have been shown in some studies to aid in brain development and visual acuity. Otherwise, EnfaCare and EnfaCare LIPIL are the same.

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406 EnfaCare or EnfaCare LIPIL-PWD 2ea - 14.3oz -or- 2ea - 12.9oz 407 EnfaCare or EnfaCare LIPIL-PWD 4ea - 14.3oz -or- 4ea - 12.9oz 408 EnfaCare or EnfaCare LIPIL-PWD 8ea - 14.3oz -or- 9ea - 12.9oz 409 EnfaCare or EnfaCare LIPIL-PWD 10ea - 14.3oz -or- 11ea - 12.9oz
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Local agencies should see these changes in the WIN system following a successful transfer of data "end of day process" with the state office.

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